

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION**

TOMMY R. ORTIZ, an individual,

Plaintiff,

v.

WILLIAM EPPERSON, an individual,
THOMAS ZUBIK, an individual, RHAVEN
BARTEE, an individual, BRENDA LEE, an
individual, JANE DOE-MENTAL HEALTH
TECHNICIAN, an individual, SAMANTHA
MCDORMAN, an individual, NATHAN
BOYD, an individual, RALPH CARTER, an
individual, ALFREDA FLETCHER, an
individual, LADONALD SCOTT, an
individual, MICHELLE SANTOS, an
individual, JOHN DOE-SECURITY GUARD
1, an individual, and JOHN DOE-SECURITY
GUARD 2, an individual,

Defendants.

Case No. 18 CV 3385

Hon. Edmond E. Chang

JOINT STATUS REPORT

The Parties, through their undersigned counsel, submit this Joint Status Report as required by the Court's Minute Order on October 26, 2020:

1. Pursuant to this Court's October 26, 2020 Order, the parties are to file a joint discovery status report by December 3, 2020.
2. There are currently motions to dismiss pending on behalf of all Defendants who have thus far appeared.
3. Accordingly, the parties request that the setting of any discovery schedule be deferred until the pending motions to dismiss are resolved. The parties agree that it would conserve judicial resources to defer discovery until after resolution of the motions to dismiss.

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